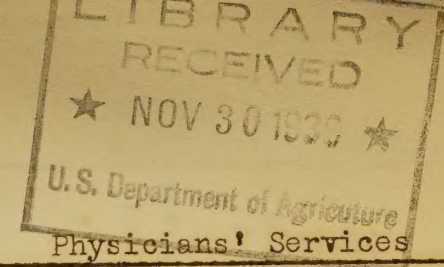
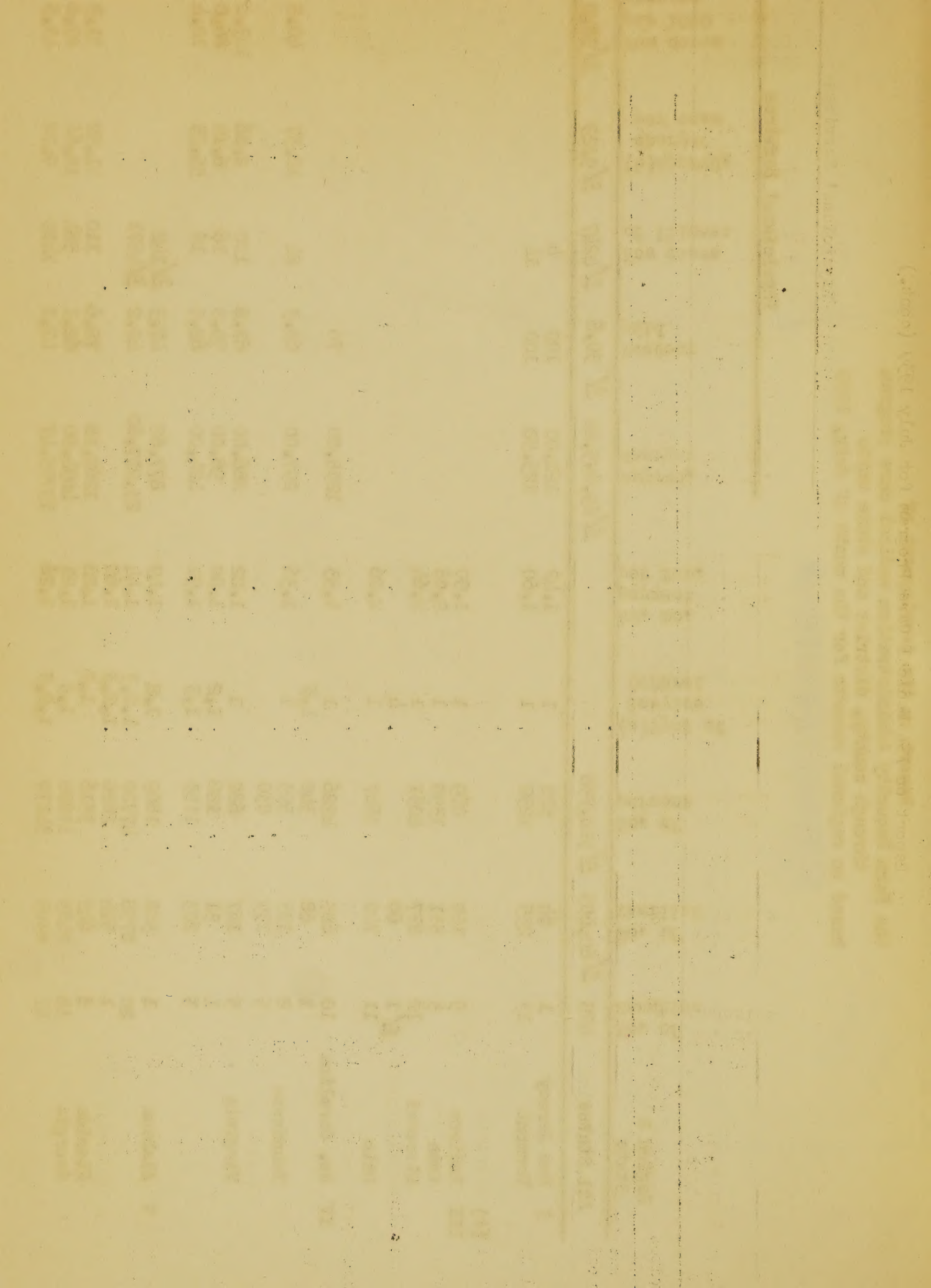


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Region & State	No. of Counties	No. of families	No. of persons	(a) Type of Service Offered	Av. mo. payment per fam.	Apprvd. Charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Apprvd. charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
All States	420	c/60,455	c/310,738			d/63,695.80	d/50.6	e/4247	e/9.29	e/38.2
I New Jersey	1	84	320	1	1.42	121.00	100	4		
Vermont	13	235	1232	1	1.60	125.50	100	14		
(f)										
III Indiana	5	159	869	1	1.90					
Iowa	3	311	1390	1	2.08					
Missouri	12	837	4051	1	2.64					
	g/1	69		4						
Ohio	11	740	3547	1	2.26					
IV No. Carolina	10	683	4226	1	1.33	1235.00	70			
	1	68	340	1,3						
Tennessee	2	133	593	1	1.36	297.00	63.3	24	12.37	40.5
	5	139	830							
Virginia	5	147	680	1	1.22	286.00	67.8	100	2.86	147.0
	1	31	186	1,2	1.80	98.00	55.3	16	6.12	86.0
	3	203	1153	1,3	1.91	424.00	62.5	12	35.33	10.4
V Alabama	1	308	1809	1,2	1.49	877.62	47.3	h/142		
	20	8758	47720	1,2,3	1.44	23,217.60	40.2	h/4571		
	1	514	2828	1,2,3	1.62					
Florida	5	645	3516	1,2	1.28	1267.18	72.6	110	11.52	31.3
Georgia	18	2483	13888	1,3	1.21	4094.80	62.1	384	10.66	27.6
	41	6303	34179	1,2,3	1.26	13793.47	47.1	1419	9.72	41.5





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						Apprvd. Charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Apprvd. charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
Georgia (cont)	29	3508	18629	1,2	1.07	6314.47	67.7	509	12.40	27.3
	2	351	1839	1,2,3,4	1.32	697.55	51.4	34	20.52	18.5
	17	1146								
So. Carolina	5	860	4236	1,2		1031.65	72.7	133	7.76	31.4
	8	1802	8029	1,2,3	1.30	3298.47	46.5	448	7.36	55.8
	3	1019								
(f)										
VI Arkansas	68	11812	59060	1,2	1.37					
	1/41	4326	21610	4	.45					
Louisiana	4	425	2125	1	1.19					
	3	583	2115	1,3	1.68					
Mississippi	41	8000	40000	1,3	1.67					
VIII Oklahoma	3	281	1505	1,2	1.63	576.80	73.1	98	5.88	65.1
	8	1004	4912	1,2,3	1.94	2322.90	51.4	386	6.02	78.6
	1	80	420	1	1.32	133.15	74.9			
	5									
Texas	1	94	424	1,2,3	2.07	260.28	83.6	27	9.64	63.7
	2	258	1328	1,3	1.23	581.75	53.6			
	4	448	2218	1,2	1.66	505.00	74.5	108	4.67	48.7
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IX Utah	1			1,2,3	2.08					
X Colorado	2	187		1,2,3	2.70					
Wyoming	1	100		1,2,3	2.50					

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						Apprvd. Charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Apprvd. charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
XI Idaho	1	176		1,2,3,4	4.75					
III Colorado	1	43	198	1,2,3,4	2.50	64.50	100	13	4.96	65.6
Kansas	18	537	3255	1,2,3,4	2.50	1322.20	45.6	297	4.45	91.2
	7	492	2090	1,2,3,4	2.50					
New Mexico	1	66	314	1	1.66					
	4	99	519	1,2	2.00	49.75	100	4	12.44	7.7
	1	491	2363	1,2	2.00					
	1	325	1528	1,2,3	2.25					
Oklahoma	1	64	320	1,2	1.66	96.66	100	12	8.05	37.5
Texas	4	340	1492	1	1.62					
	2	240	1093	1,2	1.74	603.50	61.5	56	10.78	51.2
	3	410	1920	1,2	2.00					

(a) Type of service offered: 1 - Physicians'; 2 - Drugs; 3 - Hospital; 4 - Dental.

(b) The number of new cases of illness and total approved charges for the month are used as the basis for this calculation on the assumption that the number of old cases of illness carried forward from last month and their charges in this month's bills equals the number of this month's new cases which will be carried forward to next month and their charges for service next month be included in next month's accounts.

(c) Estimated.

(d) For 209 reporting counties.

(e) For 187 reporting counties.

(f) Taken from report for June.

(g) This county is also one of 12 counties providing physicians' service.

(h) Total number of persons receiving service.

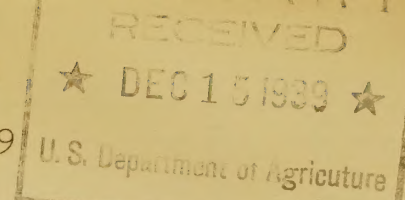
(i) 38 of these 41 counties are among 68 counties having provision for physicians' and drug service.





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Region & State	No. of counties	No. of families	No. of persons	(a) Type of service offered	Av. yearly membership fee	Approved charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Apprvd. charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
All States	451	63,773	e/ 336,721			c/ \$72,309.61	c/ 56	d/ 4965	d/ \$12.64	d/ 29.7
I New Jersey	1	84	320	1	\$17.00	129.00	100	6	21.50	18.7
Vermont	13	235	1232	1	19.20	364.52	100	42	8.68	34.1
III Indiana	5	170	917	1	22.80	352.00	57	7	50.28	7.6
Iowa	3	335	1369	1,2	25.00	916.80		53	17.30	38.7
Missouri	11	866	4063	1	31.60	918.81	99			
	g/ 1	55	241	1	23.76					
	f/ 1	f/ 70	f/ 484	4						
Ohio	11	815	3819	1	24.00	870.25	100	109	7.74	30.4
IV North Carolina	11	781	4572		16.00	5/ 692.00	5/ 62	5/ 23	5/ 30.09	
Tennessee	7	248	1403	1	16.00	1/ 74.25	100			
Virginia	5	148	686	1	15.00	250.00	74	105	2.38	153.1
	1	32	185	1,2	16.50	65.00	68			
	13	476	2730	1,2,3	23.40	12/ 457.30	12/ 55	12/ 55	12/ 8.31	
V Alabama	18	8276	45,193	1,2,3	16.30	22,755.66	39	1249	18.22	27.6
	1	308	1809	1,2	16.30	614.75	67			
	2	g/ 1008	g/ 6700							
Florida	1	116	667	1	15.00	194.00	84	33	5.88	49.5
	1	103	575	1,2	15.00	132.45	98	11	12.64	19.1
	1	123	630	1,2,3	15.00	229.00	62	10	22.90	15.9
	2	304	1610	1,2	15.00					





Region & State	No. of counties	No. of families	No. of persons	(a) Type of service offered	Av. yearly membership fee	Physicians' Services				
						Approved charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Appr'd. charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
Georgia	3	107	613	1,2	\$ 15.00	\$170.75	53			
	21	2543	14015	1,3	12.00	4728.90	51	224	\$ 21.11	16.0
	70	10013	55773	1,2,3	15.00	18042.96	57	1272	14.18	22.8
	3	400	2219	1,2,3,4	15.00	804.00	63	35	22.97	15.8
	11	g/1340	g/7304							
South Carolina	15	3248	18425	1,2,3	15.00	5794.10	60	941	6.16	50.1
	1	295	1712	1,3,4	15.00	555.00	50			
	1	g/ 195	g/1185							
VI Arkansas	68	11812	59060	1,2	16.50					
	h/41	h/4326	h/21610	4	5.51					
	Louisiana	4	425	2125	1	15.09				
	3	583	2115	1,3	19.14					
	Mississippi	41	8000	40000	1,2	20.00				
VII Kansas	6	881	4103	1,2,3,4	28.90	1919.83	70			
	Nebraska	4	642	3210	1,2,3,4	29.64	1324.12	87		
VIII Oklahoma	1	88	478	1	15.87	215.55	56	48	4.49	100
	3	355	1768	1,2	19.64	646.37	47			
	9	1231	6153	1,2,3	23.38	2514.68	61	351	7.16	57
	3	g/437	g/2422							
	Texas	1	214	1090	1,3	8.80	382.50	70		
	1	94	424	1,2,3	24.90	293.13	63	37	7.92	87
	4	448	2217	1,2	19.88	597.00	67	68	8.78	30.7
	9	g/799	g/4561							
IX Utah	1	g/ 75		1,2,3	25.00					





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						Approved charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Apprvd. charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
X Colorado	1	61	317	1,3	\$20.00	\$305.00	33			
	1	129	629							
	1	124		1,2,3,4						
	2	204	1009	1,2,3	30.00	515.75	72			
XI Idaho	1	51	359	1,2,3,4	51.36	129.25	100	41	\$3.15	114.2
XIII Colorado	1	51	251	1,2,3,4	30.00	77.00	94	16	4.81	63.7
	1	g/43	g/198	1,2,3,4	30.00					
	24	995	5487	1,2,3,4	30.00	2080.65	71			
	1	g/50	g/284	1,2,3,4	30.00					
	2	233	1189	1,2,3	24.00	357.00	92	18	19.83	
	8	916	5013	1,3	24.00	1341.50	99	175	7.67	34.9
	2	g/78	g/368							
	1	65	322	1,2	20.00	102.28	93	3	34.09	9.3
	2	108	509	1,3	22.50	396.50	43	33	12.02	64.8
Texas	9	g/628	g/3092	1,3						

(a) Type of service offered: 1 - Physicians; 2 - Drug; 3 - Hospital; 4 - Dental

(b) The number of new cases of illness and total approved charges for the month are used as a basis for this calculation on the assumption that the number of old cases of illness carried forward from last month and their charges in this month's bills equals the number of this month's new cases which will be carried forward to next month and their charges for service next month be included in next month's accounts.

(c) For 277 reporting counties in 21 states with membership of approximately 36,023 families, consisting of 194,290 persons. Of these 21 states, 12 show a payment of over 70 per cent on physicians' charges. Low percentages paid by states rendering large volumes of service reduce the average payment to the 56 per cent shown.

(d) For 216 reporting counties with membership of 39,693 families, 167,355 persons. Charges for physicians' service to these 4,965 cases totaled \$62,736.83.

(e) The total number of persons has been estimated on the basis of 5.28 persons per family, this being the average





size of the families for which the number of persons is shown.

- (f) This county is also one of 12 Missouri counties providing physicians' service. Twenty per cent of its membership has been counted in totaling membership for all states on the assumption that 80 per cent of its members are also members of medical care units.
- (g) Figures taken from reports for June and July.
- (h) Thirty-eight of these 41 counties are among 68 counties having provision for physicians' and drug service. 20 per cent of the membership in dental service units in these counties has been counted in totaling membership for all states, on the assumption that 80% of their members are also members of medical care units. The membership of the three counties not having medical care units totals 562 families.

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Region & State	No. of units	No. of counties	No. of families	No. of persons	(a) Type of service offered	Av. yearly membership fee	Approved charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Apprvd. charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
All States	402	465	c/ 65,085	c/ 338,442			d/ 69,106.60	d/ 61.0	e/ 5395	e/ 11.06	e/ 31.0
Region I	2	14	319	1552			446.52	100.0	47	9.50	30.3
New Jersey	1	1	84	320	1	16.52	82.00	100.0	5	16.40	15.6
Vermont	1	13	235	1232	1	19.20	364.52	100.0	42	8.68	34.1
Region III	30	31	2156	10,106			d/ 2963.30	d/ 90.9	e/ 123	e/ 12.36	e/ 21.9
Indiana	4	5	171	926	1	22.80	406.75	61.6			
Iowa	3	3	335	1367	1,2	23.33	698.60		72	9.70	52.7
Missouri	12	12	845	4008	1	31.70	703.10	94.2	37	19.00	9.2
	h/ 1	1	73	504	4						
Ohio	10	10	736	3460	1	26.74	1036.60	99.0			
	1	1	54	244	1,4	36.14	118.25	100.0	14	8.45	57.4
Region IV	23	39	1676	9489			d/ 1817.17	d/ 66.9	e/ 307	e/ 5.47	
No. Carolina	10	11	770	4556		15.48	7/ 1190.00	7/ 65.0	7/ 230	7/ 5.17	
Tennessee	6	9	311	1591	1	14.40	1/ 137.00	1/ 73.0			
Virginia	1	5	153	712	1	15.00	264.17	73.1	68	3.88	95.5
	1	1	32	185	1,2	16.44					
	5	13	410	2445	1,2,3	23.40	2/ 226.00	2/ 65.9	2/ 9	2/ 25.11	
Region V	148	150	27,364	151,061			d/ 46,706.28	d/ 52.2	e/ 3582	e/ 12.79	e/ 28.0
Alabama	1	1	308	1809	1,2	16.30	752.25	54.6			
	15	15	6814	38,030	1,2,3	16.30	18,381.43	37.9	1106	16.62	29.1
	4	4	g/ 1554	g/ 7300	1,2,3	16.30					
Florida	1	1	116	667	1	15.00	202.75	80.6	33	6.14	49.5
	3	3	412	2220	1,2	15.00	991.88	53.0	27	36.73	12.1
	1	1	g/ 127	633	1,2	15.00					





Region & State	No. of units	No. of counties	No. of families	No. of persons	(a) Type of service offered	Av. yearly membership fee	Physicians' services				
							Approved charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Apprvd. charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
V (cont.)											
Georgia	4 19 67 5 11	4 19 67 6 12	205 1856 9740 817 <u>g/</u> 1692	1131 10507 53690 4535 <u>g/</u> 9217	1,2 1,3 1,2,3 1,2,3,4	\$15.00 12.00 15.00 15.00	\$115.00 2659.75 17,121.61 1445.90	79.0 56.7 61.6 58.7	226 1290 39	\$11.77 13.27 37.07	21.5 24.0 8.6
So. Carolina	15 2	15 2	3233 <u>g/</u> 490	18,425 <u>g/</u> 2897	1,2,3	15.00	5035.71	66.1	861	5.85	46.7
<u>g/</u> Region VI	118	119	21,113								
Arkansas	15 2 7 <u>h/</u> 44 40	15 2 7 44 40	2468 319 1094 7981 4058		1 1,2 1,2,3 1,3 4	15.11 14.86 15.67 15.00 5.52					
Louisiana	4 4	4 4	461 956	2578 4632	1 1,2	14.21 20.79					
Mississippi	39 1	40 1	6506 366		1,2 1,2,4	19.40 20.00					
Region VII	15	15	2996	15,329			5148.53	92.6	732	7.03	47.8
Kansas	10	10	1813	9065	1,2,3,4	30.00	2453.73	100.0	346	7.09	38.2
Nebraska	5	5	1183	6264	1,2,3,4	30.00	2694.80	85.8	386	6.98	61.6
Region VIII	37	38	<u>c/</u> 5259	<u>c/</u> 19,188			<u>d/</u> 4895.26	<u>d/</u> 78.2	<u>e/</u> 461	<u>e/</u> 7.48	<u>e/</u> 41.6
Oklahoma	1 4 10 2 3	1 4 10 2 3	236 724 2081 <u>g/</u> 365	478 2355 6570 <u>g/</u> 2045	1 1,2 1,2,3	15.00 21.31 21.79	131.75 514.30 2236.39	90.9 74.7 83.4	25 38 348	5.27 13.53 6.43	52.3 16.1 53.0



Region & State	No. of units	No. of counties	No. of families	No. of persons	(a) Type of service offered	Av. yearly membership fee	Physicians' services				
							Approved charges	Percent paid	New cases of illness	(b) Approved charges per case	New cases per 1000 persons
VIII (cont.)											
Texas	1	1	215	1090	1	\$8.80	\$300.00	88.8			
	4	4	429	1690	1,2	19.36	563.59	62.0	50	11.27	29.6
	5	5	1008	3818	1,2,3	23.03	1149.23	73.5			
	2	3	201	1142	1,2,3	19.00					
	5	5									
Region IX Utah	1	1	229		1,2,3	35.00					
Region X	6	6	575	e/2990			d/1530.50	d/53.2	e/47	e/10.18	e/59.2
Colorado	2	2	195	973	1,3	26.62	870.00	36.6			
Montana	1	1	g/124		1,2,3,4						
Wyoming	1	1	52	301	1,3	30.00	221.00	33.0	11	20.09	36.5
	1	1	104	516	1,2,3	30.00	182.00	100.0			
	1	1	100	493	1,3,4	30.00	257.50	93.9	37	6.96	75.1
Region XI Idaho	1	1	40	200	1,2,3,4	51.36	47.15	100.0	27	1.75	135.0
Region XII	21	51	3358	17,729			d/5551.89	d/71.7	e/69	e/15.27	e/40.4
Colorado	1	1	58	285	1,3	30.00	98.75	100.0	21	4.70	73.7
Kansas	1	18	618	3463	1,2,3,4	30.00	1164.75	66.0			
	3	7	g/441	g/2399	1,2,3,4	30.00					
New Mexico	1	1	67	320	1	20.00	103.00	100.0			
	5	9	1022	5599	1,3	24.00	1320.25	93.0			
	1	2	236	1201	1,2,3	25.00	411.00	81.6			
Oklahoma	1	1	65	322	1,2,3	20.00	218.90	41.0			
Texas	3	4	282	1422	1	18.00	954.74	45.5	48	19.89	33.8
	5	8	569	2718	1,3	24.00	1280.50	72.1			





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- (c) The membership total does not include the membership of 3 units in Oklahoma and 5 units in Texas for which this information is not available. The total number of persons has been estimated on the basis of 5.2 persons per family, this being the average size of the families for which the number of persons is shown.
- (d) For units shown, under the various state headings, as having reported on this point. These units total 236 in all covering 276 counties in 21 states with a membership of approximately 37,686 families numbering 194,980 persons, about 57 per cent of the total ~~membership~~.
- (e) For units, shown under the various state headings, as having reported the number of new cases of illness this month. These units total 198 covering 212 counties in 17 states with a membership of 31,539 families consisting of 164,368 persons. Charges for physicians' services to these 5395 cases total \$59,659.37.
- (f) Figures for Vermont represent activities during August. Due to the fact that Vermont allows its physicians 30 days in which to submit statements its reports are delayed making it necessary to include them in the summary of the following month.
- (g) Figures taken from reports for previous months.
- (h) One county in Missouri and 40 counties in Arkansas have units providing dental service only. This one Missouri county and 38 of the 40 Arkansas counties also have units providing medical care. Twenty per cent of the membership in these dental care units has been counted in totaling membership on the assumption that 80 per cent of their membership are also members of medical care units. The membership of the two Arkansas counties not having medical care units totals 313 families.

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